

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

**IN RE: NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION
OPIATE LITIGATION**

This document relates to:

Case No. 1:20-op-45281

MDL No. 2804

Hon. Dan Aaron Polster

**SETTLING DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE MOTION TO DISMISS
CLAIMS FILED BY NON-PARTICIPATING MINNESOTA SUBDIVISION
AS BARRED BY STATUTE**

In compliance with Case Management Order One ¶ 6(g) (Dkt. No. 232), Settling Defendants¹ move the Court for leave to file their Motion To Dismiss Claims Filed By Non-Participating Minnesota Subdivision As Barred By Statute (the “Motion”). The Motion seeks dismissal of claims brought by Plaintiff Minnetonka School District No. 276 on the ground that such claims are barred by Minnesota statute. A copy of the Motion is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

¹ The Settling Defendants are Johnson & Johnson, Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Ortho-McNeil-Janssen, Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Janssen Pharmaceutica, Inc. (collectively, “Janssen”), AmerisourceBergen Corporation, McKesson Corporation, and Cardinal Health, Inc. (collectively, “Distributors”) as well as any other Released Entities, as that term is defined in the Settlement Agreements, that have been named as defendants in the Complaint. *See* Exhibit A fn. 1.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on August 16, 2022, the Motion for Leave to File Motion To Dismiss Claims Filed By Non-Participating Minnesota Subdivision As Barred By Statute was served on all counsel of record via the CM/ECF system.

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